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Massachusetts Shellfish Initiative Assessment Committee Meeting Notice

A Massachusetts Shellfish Initiative (MSI) Assessment Committee Meeting will be held on Wednesday March 13, 1:00 PM at the DMF/SMAST East, New Bedford Office. This will be the second meeting of the Assessment Committee following its February 6 meeting in Barnstable.

The Assessment Committee has been charged by the MSI Task Force to survey and assess municipalities to better characterize the capacity and status of local and state shellfish programs. This includes staffing, laboratories, hatcheries, research, monitoring, education, outreach as well as the economic impact of shellfish at both the local and state levels.

The meeting will discuss the draft municipal survey, content and distribution and include preliminary discussion of an industry survey.

Meeting Location

1:00 PM Wednesday March 13, 2019 DMF / SMAST East Rooms 101-102 836 South Rodney French Blvd, New Bedford MA

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For more information on the MSI visit http://www.massshellfishinitiative.org